

Happy New Year



To our many Jewish friends and readers

S.S. Office Has Medical Record Kits For Medicine

Medicare beneficiaries who signed up for medical insurance protection can now obtain an information kit to help them keep a record of their doctor bills so they will know when they reach their yearly \$50 deductible, Daniel J. Murphy, Jr., Springfield, Mass., Social Security District Manager, announced today.

The kit includes a record-keeping folder and two leaflets which explain the two methods of payment for medical insurance claims, and what medical expenses count for \$50 deductible. The folder has pockets on the inside for holding doctor bills and space to write in the date and amount of each bill so that the beneficiary will know immediately when he reaches the \$50 each year. After that, the medical insurance plan pays 80 percent of the reasonable charges for covered expenses for the remainder of the year.

Mr. Murphy said that all new medicare beneficiaries will receive the kit when they sign up for medical insurance. Those who already have medical insurance coverage should write, telephone, or visit the social security office to obtain this free kit. The office is located at 145 State Street, Springfield, Mass., telephone 781-2420.

Also, people who need help in completing a medical insurance claim are urged to get in touch with the social security office. "We know that these claims - especially the first claim - can be confusing to people," said Mr. Murphy, "and we will be glad to help in every way possible."

CONN. ANTIQUE SHOW OCT. 5-7

How earlier residents lived 150 or more years ago, the furniture they made, tools they used, even the books they read, will be reflected in room settings to be featured in the Connecticut Antiques Show at the State Armory, Hartford, October 5-7.

Seventy-five antiques dealers, representing shops from throughout 10 Eastern states, including 8 from this state, will set up displays to help raise funds for maintenance of four historic houses.

The show, sponsored by the Antiquarian & Landmarks Society, will benefit the Nathan Hale Homestead, Coventry; the 1678 Hempsted House, New London; the 1692 Buttolph-Williams mansion house, Wethersfield; the 1735 Hatheway House, Suffield. The show will be open to the public from 1 to 10:30 p.m., Thursday and Friday and from 1 to 8:30 p.m., Saturday. Mrs. Joseph S. Rosenthal, Waterford, president of the Society, has announced.

In addition to authentic American furniture of 1650 through 1840, early decorative accessories will include fine blown glass, porcelains, pewter, silver, paintings, documents, tools, weapons, lighting devices and other collector's items, Miss Betty Forbes, who will direct the show for the Society, explained.

Buffet refreshments will be served throughout the show, in an early 18th century coffee-house setting. Free parking for visitors' cars will be provided adjacent to the Armory.

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Selectmen--No! Dictators--Yes!



V. R. MORENO

I read Selectman Nardi's "opening statement" of his campaign with "tongue in cheek." He takes credit for the "tax cuts" and "holding the tax line this year ---" A simple declaration --- "I will cut the tax rate ---" is a statement that should demand the answer --- How? How did you cut the tax rate, Mr. Nardi ---? If he takes credit for it the least we, the public, should be told is --- How? He should list, for example --- the economics he initiated to effect the tax reductions in spite of the huge expenditures he states took place --- He, Mr. Nardi, lists many expenditures but not one word of --- where did the money come from ---?

It stands to reason --- if more money was spent this year on services --- as he says --- then the taxes should have gone up --- shouldn't it ---? Of course, the answer is easy --- but Mr. Nardi or any other member of the board of Selectmen hasn't the courage to admit it --- the reason is one word --- apartments --- the apartments in town have brought in every single tax dollar to "hold the line ---" and gave the town the money to spend for the extra services it received this past year --- (and next year) ---

MR. NARDI CUT THE HAND THAT FED US ---

Mr. Nardi should take full credit for attempting to stop the income --- revenue --- of the town --- If he is asked why ---? He hasn't an answer ---!!!!

3 SELECTMEN AND TOWN COUNSEL WOULD BE DICTATORS

Mr. Nardi's comment --- "I would like to continue the reassessment of the zone bylaw ---" is anticlimatic --- for he --- with the other two members of the board of selectmen --- HAVE DICTATED THE USE OF THE bylaws to suit their own political purposes --- rather than follow the dictates of the law --- their acts on the zone bylaws were acts of malfeasance ---!!

National Newspaper Week, Oct. 8-14 Newspapers Get Things Done!



(Drawn especially for National Newspaper Week, Oct. 8-14, 1967, by Lou Erickson of the Atlanta Journal)

Holyoke Water Power Joins The Northeast Utilities

The Holyoke Water Power Company officially became the fourth member of the Northeast Utilities system at midnight Saturday, September 30.

The first announcement that such an affiliation would be studied came in October of last year. The decision to go forward with the move was made in November when approval was sought from The Securities and Exchange Commission. The unconditional approval by the government board was given in August of this year. Since that date, HWP's shareholders have been requested to accept a Northeast Utilities exchange offer by forwarding their stock certificates to an exchange agent in Boston.

In letters signed by Sherman R. Knapp, president of NU, and Robert E. Barrett, Jr., president of HWP, shareholders of HWP were being notified today that more than 80% of the 480,000 shares outstanding were received. Under the terms of the affiliation, HWP shareholders will receive 2.25 shares of Northeast Utilities stock for each HWP share. Eighty percent was the minimum number of shares required to make the affiliation effective.

Mr. Knapp commented that the affiliation of Holyoke Water Power as part of the Northeast Utilities system was a major step forward toward a strong utility complex keeping pace with the dynamic growth of southwestern New England.

"Our ability to serve our customers and to contribute to the economic growth on Connecticut and Western Massachusetts has been enhanced by the addition of

this historic and progressive company."

According to Mr. Knapp, HWP was the pioneer company in New England in industrial development having literally created the city of Holyoke by the nineteenth century construction of Connecticut River Canals to power industrial progress. HWP is still a recognized leader in attracting new industry to the area.

Northeast Utilities is an affiliation of major power companies in southwestern New England. That affiliation was made on July 1, 1966, among Western Massachusetts Electric Company, The Connecticut Light and Power Company, The Hartford Electric Light Company, and now the Holyoke Water Power Company becomes the fourth member of the group.

S/Sgt. Robert W. Zabik With Combat Forces In Vietnam

With U. S. Combat Air Forces, Vietnam - Staff Sergeant Robert W. Zabik, son of Mr. and Mrs. Zabik of 128 Richview Ave., South Hadley, Mass., is on duty at Tan Son Nhut AB, Vietnam.

Sergeant Zabik, a jet engine technician, is a member of the Pacific Air Forces. Before his arrival in Southeast Asia, he was assigned to Westover AFB, Mass.

The sergeant, a graduate of South Hadley High School, attended Ohio State University and the University of Massachusetts.

His wife, Beverly, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony G. Vismari of 420 Main St., Agawam, Mass.

COLLEGE NIGHT AT AGAWAM HI-SCHOOL

College preparatory juniors and seniors and their parents are cordially invited to attend "College Night" at the Agawam High School on Monday evening, October 9th at 7:30 P.M.

Mr. Robert Doolan, associate dean of admissions at the University of Massachusetts, will be the discussion leader.

Such items as college boards, college entrance requirements and scholarships for ALL colleges and universities will be discussed.

This program will give all interested parents an opportunity to learn officially, and at first-hand, about college and university requirements.

A question and answer period will highlight the evening. Mr. Raymond Harris, principal; Mr. David Skolnick, guidance director; and Mr. John Porter, counselor, will sit on the panel with Mr. Doolan.

ROLLIE JACOBS WILL SPEAK AT SOUTH PTA NEXT WED.

South Elementary PTA will open the 1967-68 season with a "Get Acquainted Night" on Wednesday, October 11. A potluck supper will be served at 6:30 p.m. under the direction of Mrs. Sipitkowski, Mrs. Downey, Mrs. Moirano and Mrs. Frennette. Following the dinner the program will feature Rollie Jacobs, whose subject will be "Broadcasting - What Lies Ahead?"

Mr. Jacobs has been community relations director of WWLP-TV; with WWLP since 1957; sports director until 1965; married and the father of 2 girls and 1 boy. He resides in Westfield and is a member of the Lions Club and the National Sports-casting and Sportswriters Association. He is the recipient of numerous awards for service to youth and sports.

Anyone not able to attend the dinner is invited to enjoy the program at 8 p.m.

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TURN OFF THE HEAT

Most accidents involve no more than a handful of people. Fires are something else again; they can bring death, injury or loss to scores or even hundreds. That's something to think about when, if ever, you're tempted to ignore a fire precaution which the little voice inside tells you ought to be heeded.

More than 12,000 people in the United States perished last year in fires that could have been avoided. Untold thousands were injured. Fires rank above many diseases as a hazard to human health and well-being.

As Fire Prevention Week rolls around again (the dates are October 8-14 this year), it may remind some people of another sound and venerable institution - namely, virtue. Nobody's "agin" it; it's just that not everybody tries hard enough, or remembers in time, to put his agreement into practice. Most of us have heard about the need to refrain from smoking in bed, check electrical wiring, keep the oven grease-free, place oil-soaked rags (if any) in closed metal containers, keep matches and children sep-

arate, and so on. The trick isn't to learn about it, but to remember and DO it.

In case fire should break out (doubtless through the other fellow's fault), prompt medical attention to burns may be necessary. First degree burns - those that merely redden the skin - need no treatment beyond immediate immersion in, or application of, ice water if available. Second degree burns, which raise blisters, can also be treated with ice water if they are localized; but if at all extensive they present the danger of shock and should be seen immediately by a doctor. Third degree burns, which involve the entire thickness of the skin, always require medical care.

Your Christmas Seal association suggests: Prevent fires and burns. Observe Fire Prevention Week, October 8th to 14th.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Sir;

The fiscal year has ended for the 1967 Cancer Crusade in Agawam and the final figures are now available.

I would like to have a small spot in the next edition to thank all of the volunteers for a job well done. They have not only exceeded last year's figures but have established an "All Time High" for the community. The total collected was \$4,090. This money is already being put to work in the areas of research, service and education.

I hope that you will see fit to make space in your paper so that my gratitude may be made known to all those involved in the Cancer Crusade in Agawam.

Sincerely yours,
H.M. Curtis, D.M.D.
1967 Cancer Crusade
Chairman

ROTC Scholarships

For High School Seniors

Headquarters First United States Army, Fort George G. Meade, Maryland - College scholarships for 800 outstanding high school seniors will be offered again this year, the U. S. Army has announced.

The scholarships will be good at any of 247 colleges and universities in the United States offering the Reserve Officer Training Corps (ROTC) program. Young men may choose their own field of study and the only requirement will be that they take ROTC.

Selection is based on academic excellence, extracurricular activities, physical standards, results of college entrance examination boards, personal qualities, and leadership potential.

This is the fourth year of the Army scholarship program. Last year 800 high school graduates were selected. The scholarships pay full tuition, textbooks, and laboratory fees, and provide a \$50 monthly allowance for four years.

High school seniors, their parents or teachers may obtain information by writing ROTC Scholarship, First U. S. Army, Fort Meade, Maryland 20755. Deadline for submission of completed applications is January 15, 1968. However, College Entrance Examination Board Scholarship Aptitude Tests must be completed no later than December 1967.

Upon graduation from college the scholarship students are commissioned second lieutenants in the U.S. Army. They fulfill their military obligation by serving four years on active duty.

Over 99 percent of last year's winners ranked scholastically in the upper 20 percent of their graduating class. Twenty-five percent were student body presidents and 47 percent held leadership positions in other class organizations. Varsity letters had been won by 57 percent and 18 percent were Eagle Scouts.

No pictures will be returned unless accompanied by stamped, self-addressed envelope.

SCHOOL MENUS

OCT. 9 - 13

"School Lunch Teaches Good Food Habits" is the theme emphasized this year for the week of October 8-14, designated by Presidential proclamation as National School Lunch Week.

School lunch is planned around the "Type A" lunch menu pattern developed by the U.S. Department of Agriculture. It supplies growing youngsters with at least one-third of the nourishment they need daily to be good students and to grow healthy and strong.

In observance of National School Lunch Week in Agawam a certain number of lunch plates in each of the cafeterias will be labeled each day with National School Lunch Week stickers. Any student receiving a plate with such a label on the bottom will receive a free lunch. Following are the menus for the LUCKY DAYS ahead:

PHELPS SCHOOL

MON: Or. ju., grl. frank, on but, roll, rel. & mus., but, grn. bns., apl. crsp. TUES: Cit. ju., bkd. sau., mash. pot., but, corn, pea, but, sand., aplsau. WED: Cit. ju., grld. ham, on but, bun, on, sl. & rel., but, car., white cake w/fr. top. FRI: Ju., tom, soup, tuna fish sal. sand., toss. grn. sal. w/spin. & car., or, wdg.

GRANGER SCHOOL

MON: Ju., grl. frank, on but, bun, rel. & mus., pot. chips, 7-min. cab., gngbr. w/wh. top. TUES: Shell mac. w/mt. & tom. sau., let. & tom. sal., pea, but, sand., frsh. apl. WED: Ju., grld. ham, on but, roll, rel. & cat., on, rings, ch. cube, but, car., aplsau. FRI: Ju., pizza w/mt. & com. sau., but, wax bns., pean. brn., sl. pears.

PEIRCE SCHOOL

MON: Or. ju., bf. veg. stew, hot but, bisc., ch. wdg., pears & apr. TUES: Ham, pat. on hot but, roll, but, mix. vege., pot. chips, pea, but, sand., grpr. sec. WED: Rst. bf. hash, but, leaf spin., jel. & pea, but, sand., peach shr. cake w/whip. top. FRI: Bkd. mac. w/ch. & tom. sau., but, grn. bns., ch. or pea, but, sand., spl. col. cake.

DANAHY SCHOOL

MON: Sh. mac. w/mt. & tom. sau., but, grn. bns., ch. wdg., b&b, sl. peaches. TUES: Cit. ju., chic. rice soup w/veg., sl. mt. sand., pea, but, & jam sand., car. stix, pea, but, cook. apl. WED: Ju., ham, & roll w/cat., but, corn, aplsau. cake w/top. FRI: Ju., tst. ch. sand., pot. chips, sl. car., choc. cake

SO. ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

MON: Or. ju., hot open turk. sand, w/grvy., but, peas & car., cran. sau., glaz. sw. pot., apl. TUES: Cit. ju., stnd. frank, in but, roll, mus. & rel., but, spin., bluebry. cake w/top. WED: Or.

Ju., slop. Joe on hard but, roll, ch. stix, ABC sal., apl. crsp. w/top. FRI: Or. ju., fish stick ch., brgr. on but, roll, mix. grn. sal., sl. peaches.

ROBINSON PARK SCHOOL

MON: Sh. mac. w/mt. & tom. sau., but, grn. bns., but, French br., pineapl. chks. TUES: Or. ju., ham, on but, roll-cat., but, corn, pot. chips, ch. stix, gngbr. w/aplsau. top. WED: Soup w/rice, cel. & car. stix, ham sal. on rye br., pea, but, sand., or, wdg., cook. FRI: Ju., tuna fish sal. sand., pea, but, sand., toss. sal. w/spin. grns., pot. chips, des.

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

MON: Ju., ham. on bun, stew, tom., pea, but, sand., cherry crsp. TUES: Ju., grndr. w/sl.

mt., ch., let. & tom., pick., pot. chips, fr. cup. WED: Ham. mt. loaf, mash. pot., but, broc., b&b, Jello w/top. FRI: Ju., pizza w/tom. sau., pea, but, sand., cab. & car. sal., but, cake w/wh. top.

HIGH SCHOOL

MON: Grld. ham w/pine, pars, pot., aplsau., hot date muff., gngbr. w/top. TUES: Bf. in grvy., mash. pot., but, spin, b&b, fr. WED: Tst. ham & ch. roll, pot. chips, mix. grn. sal., pea, but, sand., pea, but, cook. FRI: Or. ju., grld. ch. sand., cel. & car. stix, pea, but, sand., pasp. prn, pie square.

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Eliminate "Spearing," Authorities Caution

CHICAGO — Football "spearing" should be eliminated, warn sports and medical authorities.

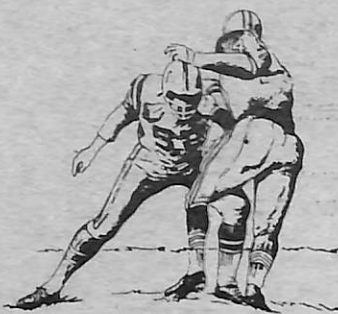
Spearing is the tactic in which a blocker or tackler uses his head as a battering ram. It's dangerous, both for himself and for the person he hits.

A group of coaches, physicians, and sports officials have joined the American Medical Association in calling for coaches to emphasize correct, head-up blocking and tackling, and for strict enforcement by officials of the rules against spearing.

Said Notre Dame football coach Ara Parseghian: "I can't begin to tell of the number of clinics where I have lectured on the (spearing) problem. We don't teach this at Notre Dame; and over the years, I have done everything within my power to influence others to coach against it."

The AMA's Committee on the Medical Aspects of Sports asked for sports authorities' comments when recent studies showed that head and neck injuries continue to constitute a very high percentage of serious injuries in football.

In the correct, head-up tackle, the player uses his shoulders, arms, and chest to stop the ball carrier. In a "spear" or "butt" tackle, he drives into his opponent with his head. By spearing, the tackler may prevent the ball carrier from ad-



vancing a few extra inches—if he tackles him. With his head down, however, he risks serious injury to his head and spinal cord, and he is more likely to miss the tackle because he has a harder time seeing where he's going.

Studies of fatalities indicate that football has a good safety record, considering that virtually a million players are involved each fall. It could be even better, however, if head and neck injuries could be reduced. In 1966, head and neck injuries were responsible for 23 of the 24 fatalities directly attributed to injuries in college and high school football.

Said Murray Warmath, football coach at the University of Minnesota: "Spearing will never disappear from the game until we quit coaching it and until we absolutely disallow its use on the part of our players."

"It isn't the first man who makes the tackle," Warmath said. "It's that second tackler. He puts his head down, closes his eyes, and piles into the man who's down with one intent, and that's to maim and cripple."

Joining the coaches in condemning spearing and in calling for correct, head-up blocking and tackling were Richard C. Schneider, M.D., an Ann Arbor, Mich., neurosurgeon and member of the AMA Committee on the Medical Aspects of Sports; Donald B. Slocum, M.D., chairman of the AMA committee and orthopedic consultant to the University of Oregon football team; William E. Newell, executive secretary of the National Athletic Trainers Association and head athletic trainer at Purdue University; O. B. Murphy, M.D., University of Kentucky team physician and AMA representative to the NCAA Rules Committee; Carl Blythe, Ph.D., Chapel Hill, N.C., chairman of the NCAA committee on football safety and president of the American College of Sports Medicine; L. W. Combs, M.D., director of the Purdue University student health center and a leader in the Athletic Medicine Section of the American College Health Association; and Clifford B. Fagan, executive secretary of the National Federation of State High School Athletic Associations.

tourist information turnoffs containing all such necessary information should be made part of any program designed to eliminate unsightly billboards from our primary and interstate road system," the ALA official said.

Course Offered High School Students Preparing For College

An eight week course to prepare high school students for the December College Board Entrance Examination will be conducted by Ronald Hofmann of 14 Ruth Ave., Agawam beginning October 9.

Classes will meet one night weekly with students given the choice of attending either Monday, Tuesday, or Wednesday

night. The enrollment fee will include all necessary materials and Barron's "How to Prepare for College Entrance Exams."

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BAPTIST CHURCH HARVEST SMORGASBORD ANNOUNCED

The United Women's Fellowship of the Agawam Baptist Church announced today that the annual Harvest Smorgasbord will be served in the new Fellowship Hall on Saturday, October 14. The big event will be open to the public from 5 to 7 p.m. with tickets at \$1.75 for adults and 75¢ for children under 12.

Co-chairmen for the evening are Mrs. Pauline Woodruff and

Mrs. Phyllis Catchepaugh. The Amicitia Guild headed by Mrs. Barbara Briggs is in charge of the food with the Mothers Club providing homemade pies. The Knit and Stitch Circle under Mrs. Phyllis Geckler is in charge of setting tables and decorations. Posters for the affair are being handled by Mrs. Virginia Catchepaugh and publicity by Mrs. Merle Stanton.

Ham, turkey, meat balls, salads, fruit bowl and homemade pies will be part of the delicious menu. Reservations may be made through Mrs. Gladys Catchepaugh at 734-2422 or Mrs. Eleanor Reynolds at 732-9495 with tickets obtainable through Mrs. Barbara Briggs at the Church office.

Transylvania Representative To Interview Seniors Oct. 20

A representative of the Board of Admissions of Transylvania College will be in Agawam, Friday, October 20, to meet with high school seniors interested in attending the Lexington, Kentucky college next year.

Joseph E. Cosby, admissions counselor, will discuss the admissions requirements of the historic college with students at Agawam High School at 2:00 p.m. Transylvania, founded in 1780 and a small, private, liberal arts college, is the oldest college West of the Allegheny Mountains.

DEMOCRATIC WOMEN ON WHEELS PLAN FOLIAGE TRIP

Mrs. George E. Kelly of West Springfield, president of Democratic Women on Wheels of Massachusetts, Inc., is pleased to announce the first social event of the 1967-68 season is a noon luncheon meeting to be held at Highpoint Motor Inn at Exit 5 Mass. Pike, Chicopee, on Saturday, October 21. A business meeting will be held prior to the luncheon. Mrs. Marcel Bedard of Feeding Hills will serve on the reception committee.

Following the luncheon meeting, a foliage trip to the homes of Hon. Lester Hyman, Monterey, Democratic State Committee Chairman, and Hon. Gerald Doherty, Worthington, former state chairman, has been arranged. Fall foliage in the western part of the state will be at prime color at that time. Those who plan to take the tour are assured to see vibrant, brilliant coloring.

Members of Democratic Women on Wheels of Massachusetts, Inc., and their friends may obtain luncheon tickets only by reserving now with Miss Mary G. Harrington, 567 Springfield, St., Chicopee, Mass., 01013.

ALA Urges Solons Consider Tourists In Billboard Bills

BOSTON - The Automobile Legal Association today urged New England's lawmakers to "go slow" in passing anti-billboard legislation which may produce great inconvenience to motorists.

"The touring public must be provided with specific information for its traveling needs and signs saying Gasoline-Food-Lodging do not fill the bill," Philip C. Wallwork, ALA travel official, said.

"A highway beautification program which does not take into consideration the convenience of the touring public is not in the best interests of the states, particularly those which depend upon a large tourist industry," Wallwork said.

"Tourists are creatures of habit. They want a certain brand of gasoline, a certain quality of restaurant or a certain chain of motels or hotels. It should be the obligation of states to see that they are provided with that kind of information," he said.

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Recognizing Strep Throats The Key To Rheumatic Fever Prevention

The "leaky valve" of rheumatic heart disease can usually be traced to a childhood attack of rheumatic fever. Since the forerunner of rheumatic fever is invariably a "strep throat," the importance of spotting and treating streptococcal infections in school age youngsters is crucial.

As children return to school with the inevitable possibility of crowding and easy spread of respiratory infection, mothers and teachers alike must be on the alert. When does a sore throat or a high fever warrant special precautions to be sure that no streptococcal bacteria is lurking in the throat? When can such a "strep throat" be responsible for an attack of rheumatic fever? Which children are most susceptible to developing rheumatic fever following a strep infection?

The key to the puzzle lies in sorting out for certain which illnesses are actually caused by streptococcal bacteria - and a throat culture is the only sure method for making the diagnosis. Throat cultures involve the simple swabbing of the throat with a cotton-tipped applicator and then applying the swab to a special agar surface which allows the bacteria to grow and be identified. The technique is simple, inexpensive and gives the final answer as to which infections are harmless and which are due to strep and therefore, have potential for causing rheumatic fever. Those illnesses not due to strep-

tococcal bacteria are usually caused by viruses and consequently pose no threat for rheumatic fever. Those infections associated with streptococcal bacteria do carry a potential for rheumatic fever and must be treated promptly and thoroughly.

The drug which is practically always successful in curing strep infections and thus preventing rheumatic fever is penicillin. But penicillin must be given in sufficient amount, and for sufficient time, to rid the body of strep. If doctor and mother are both aware that the illness is definitely caused by strep, adequate treatment will be prescribed and is more apt to be continued for a proper period of time. With adequate treatment comes effective rheumatic fever prevention and no chance for the development of heart disease.

How often is strep recovered from suspicious sore throats and unknown fevers in children of school age? Often enough to warrant the ever-alert vigil for this dangerous bacteria by the taking of throat cultures as often as possible. Last year's results from the throat culture program of the Massachusetts Department of Public Health showed almost 30 percent positive cultures for strep bacteria. There is no charge to the patient or doctor for this diagnostic service provided by the Massachusetts Health Department in cooperation with the Massachusetts Heart Association.

Why not avail ourselves of this useful and reliable technique for strep diagnosis? Why not make possible the basis for intelligent treatment of strep infections. Why not provide the essential first step in the prevention of rheumatic fever? Why not help reduce the chance of developing rheumatic heart disease? A simple throat swab may protect your heart!

Joyce, president of Guthrie Theatre's Stagehands. Various techniques of building a strong volunteer organization for new theaters such as Stage/West will be discussed by Mrs. Peter Schmitz of St. Louis, Mo., who heads the Repertory Volunteers at Loretto-Hilton Center.

In addition, Miss Ruth Nelson, Stage/West's leading actress, will join the STAGEHANDS for informal discussions. Miss Nelson, of Broadway and resident theater fame, was a member of Guthrie Theatre's acting company for four years.

Stage/West's subscription goal before the opening of its first production of "The Country Wife" is 5,000. More than 2,700 residents of Springfield and surrounding areas have already subscribed to the inaugural season of six plays. In order to achieve this goal, STAGEHANDS members will launch a two week telephone campaign, from October 9 through October 20.

Plans for the new STAGEHANDS include the development of an advisory council, consisting of men and women in various professional and geographic areas of greater Springfield. They will design special programs to make Stage/West's services available to wider segments of the community. The general membership, which will be constantly enlarged, will be involved in such activities as publicity, group attendance, school programs, opening night parties, special events, hosting, speaking engagements, and actor's hospitality. Officers of STAGEHANDS will be chosen in the near future.

AGAWAM GARDEN CLUB EXHIBIT OCTOBER 10

On Tuesday, October 10, the Agawam Garden Club will sponsor a Holiday Tea and Craft Exhibit at the Agawam Congregational Church - Parish Hall, 745 Main Street, from 2:30 to 9:00 p.m. This exhibit is open to the public at a nominal fee of 50¢ for adults. Children are admitted free if accompanied by an adult. The purpose of this venture is to raise funds to send a boy to the Mass. Junior Conservation Camp.

Holiday table settings will include: Thanksgiving and Christmas - Mrs. Michael Demko, Mrs. Walter Lawrence, and Mrs. George Gagliarducci; Easter - Mrs. Alice Moore; Crystal Anniversary - Mrs. Donald George; Pewter Anniversary - Mrs. Kenneth Short; Halloween and Cub Scout Banquet - Mrs. Ernest Stoddard; Children's Birthday - Mrs. Eugene Joyner; Bridge Luncheon - Mrs. Felix Tefs; Fall Luncheon - Mrs. John Farrington.

A craft table supervised by Mrs. Stoddard, Mrs. Mary Knapik, Mrs. Anna Roberts, and Mrs. Frances Homola will display woven, knitted, crocheted, and embroidered articles, toys, Christmas ornaments, wall hangings, clothing, gift items, and dried arrangements.

Items for sale will include potted house plants in charge of Mrs. Malcolm Fuller and Mrs. Edwin Barden, and pine cones, gourds, and dried flowers in

charge of Mrs. August Bonomi, Mrs. William Davies and Mrs. Bill Swiconk.

All guests will be served refreshments of home baked cookies in charge of Mrs. Gustave Benoit and Mrs. Joseph Edwards, and pourers will be Mrs. Felix Tefs, Mrs. Harold Benson, Mrs. Wendell Gosse, Mrs. August Bonomi, Mrs. Ralph Barker, and Mrs. Edward Blaszak. The guest book and entrance fee will be in charge of Mrs. Lawrence, Mrs. Gagliarducci and Mrs. Hendrik Fickweiler. Honorary Chairman of the event is President Mrs. Demko, with General Chairman Mrs. Farrington and Co-Chairman Mrs. George.

WINTER GARDEN, Fla.—Officials look twice when they ask Miss Dawn Princeton for the name of her parents at Florida Southern College. She is the daughter of Mrs. and Mrs. Harvard Yale Princeton.

Legal Notices

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
Hampden ss. Probate Court
To all persons interested in the estate of ALBERT L. BRAULT late of Agawam in said County of Hampden, deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last WILL of said deceased by SAFE DEPOSIT BANK AND TRUST COMPANY formerly SPRINGFIELD SAFE DEPOSIT AND TRUST COMPANY of Springfield in the County of Hampden praying that it be appointed executor thereof.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Springfield, in said County of Hampden, before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the thirteenth day of October 1967, the return day of this citation.

Witness, ABRAHAM I. SMITH, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighteenth day of September 1967.

JOHN J. LYONS, Register
Sept. 28, Oct. 5, 12

TO THE
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF THE
COUNTY OF HAMPDEN

Respectfully represent the undersigned, Selectmen of the Town of Agawam in said County, that common convenience and necessity require that the following highways be specifically repaired as may be necessary:

Shoemaker Lane leading from Suffield St. to So. Westfield St., 15140-18842 station to station, 3,742 feet in length, Easterly Direction.

So. Westfield Street leading from Feeding Hills Center to Conn. line, 7040--9040 station to station, 2,000 feet in length, Southerly Direction.
Southwick St. leading from Springfield St. to Southwick Lane, 4473-8673 station to station, 4,200 feet in length, Easterly Direction.

WHEREFORE your petitioners pray that your Honorable Board after notice, view and hearing, may determine and specify such specific repairs and order them to be made, and that said County contribute to the expense of said repairs together with an appropriation from the State and Town.
DATED this 9th day of June, 1967.

Raymond E. Charest
Edward W. Connelly
Selectmen of the
Town of Agawam
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
Hampden, ss. August 23, 1967
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' MEETING

Upon the petition aforesaid, the Commissioners give notice that they will meet for the purpose of a view of the premises and hearing all parties interested, at the Town Hall in Agawam on Wednesday the 18th day of October next at 1:35 o'clock P.M.; and it is ordered by the commissioners that a copy of said petition be served by the Sheriff of said county, or his Deputy, upon the Clerk of the Town of Agawam in said county, fifteen days at least before the said 18th day of October and that all other persons and corporations interested therein be notified, by publishing a copy of said petition and this order thereon twice in the Agawam News a public newspaper printed in said county, the last publication to be seven days at least before the time of said view and hearing, and that copies of said petition, or abstracts containing the substance thereof and this order, be posted by said Sheriff or Deputy, in two public places in the Town of Agawam seven days before said 18th day of October, 1967.

WILLIAM F. STAPLETON
RALPH P. WALSH
LLOYD W. FRADET
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
A true copy of the petition and order of the County Commissioners thereon.
Attest, EDWARD G. SHEA, Clerk
Sept. 28, Oct. 5

Legal Notices

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by AGAWAM MOTOR LODGE, INC. to CHARLES N. PALIOCHA, dated February 18, 1966, and recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds, Book 3170, Page 558, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction at 9:00 o'clock A.M. Daylight Saving Time, on Friday, the twenty-seventh day of October, 1967, on the premises below described, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit:

"The land in Agawam, Hampden County, Massachusetts, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at an iron pin in the Easterly line of Suffield Street to a point distant Northerly one hundred fifty and 80/100 (150.80) feet from a stone bound at the Northwesterly corner of land now or formerly of one Hitchcock and running thence Northerly along the Easterly line of said Suffield Street, two hundred (200) feet to an iron pin at land now or formerly of Marcia E. Stevens; thence Easterly on last named land, about one hundred eighty-five (185) feet at land now or formerly of Jane Oliver; thence Southerly on last named land, two hundred (200) feet to a stone bound at the Southwesterly corner of last named land; and thence Westerly in a straight line along land now or formerly of one Lee, about one hundred twenty-one (121) feet to the iron pin at the point of beginning.

Subject to a first mortgage dated November 5, 1963 and recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds Book 2990, Page 498 in favor of Ware Savings Bank in the face amount of \$220,000.00, the present balance of which is \$212,237.31. Being the same premises conveyed to the mortgagor herein by deed of Enrico C. Baldarelli et al. Dated January 8, 1964 and recorded with Hampden County Registry of Deeds Book 3004, Page 376.

The property will be sold subject to outstanding tax titles, municipal or public taxes, assessments and liens, if any.

Terms of sale: \$3000.00 required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of the sale as earnest money. Delivery of deed to be taken and balance of purchase price paid at the office of Gilbert W. Baron, Attorney, 95 State Street, Springfield, Massachusetts, within five days after approval of the sale by the Land Court.

Other terms to be announced at the sale.

CHARLES N. PALIOCHA
Gilbert W. Baron,
his Attorney
Present Holder of said Mortgage

Gilbert M. Baron
Attorney at Law
95 State Street
Springfield, Mass.

Legal Notices

TO THE
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF THE
COUNTY OF HAMPDEN
RESPECTFULLY REPRESENT the undersigned, Selectmen of the Town of Agawam in said County, that common convenience and necessity require that the highway leading from the Agawam Bridge (Main St.) to the Connecticut State Line and known as Suffield Street, be laid out, relocated, altered, constructed and specifically repaired as may be necessary, the work to begin at Silver St., Sta. 110, (end of existing Agreement) to Adams St., and extend in a Southerly direction for a distance of 5,280 feet more or less, or as far as available funds will permit.

WHEREFORE your petitioners pray that your Honorable Board will, after notice, view and hearing, as soon as may be, proceed to lay out, relocate, alter and/or construct said highway or such portions thereof as may be deemed necessary and proper, and determine and specify such specific repairs and order them to be made, and that said County contribute to the expense of such repairs together with an appropriation from the State and Town.
DATED this 9th day of June, 1967.

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Attest, EDWARD G. SHEA, Clerk
Sept. 28, Oct. 5

Stage West Prepares For First Season Opening

With the opening of Stage/West's first season less than two months away, preparations for Premiere Night on November 16 are now in progress.

A kick-off event, heralding the beginning of an intensified season ticket campaign and the initiation of a new volunteer organization, is scheduled for Monday, October 9, at 10:30 a.m. in the Stage/West building on the Exposition grounds.

Members of STAGEHANDS, the current volunteer group for the Springfield Theatre Company, are invited to see a color film titled "Miracle in Minnesota," a documentary illustrating the development of Minneapolis' successful Guthrie Theatre. The presentation will be made by Mrs. William

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